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QUEENSLAND MONTHLY STATEMENT OF STATISTICS - JUNE, 1941.

| Particulars  |     | June<br>1940 | May<br>1941 | June<br>1941 | For Twelve Months of<br>Financial Year |              |
|--|-----|--------------|-------------|--------------|--|--------------|
|  |     |              |             |              | 1939-40                                | 1940-41      |
| 1. <u>FINANCE, CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND.</u>              |     |              |             |              |  |              |
| Receipts - Taxation  | £   | 873,339      | 1,320,448   | 761,714      | 7,769,968                              | 8,140,363    |
| Railways   | £   | 652,165      | 650,481     | 763,483      | 7,918,487                              | 8,242,298    |
| Other  | £   | 940,589      | 253,636     | 993,071      | 5,067,049                              | 5,157,088    |
| Total:   | £   | 2,466,093    | 2,224,565   | 2,518,268    | 20,755,504                             | 21,539,749   |
| Expenditure - Railways                                     | £   | 481,792      | 703,593     | 615,275      | 6,252,890                              | 6,566,751    |
| Other  | £   | 2,237,883    | 952,752     | 2,569,024    | 14,486,859                             | 14,944,562   |
| Total:   | £   | 2,719,675    | 1,656,345   | 3,184,299    | 20,739,749                             | 21,511,313   |
| 2. <u>BANK CLEARINGS, BRISBANE.</u>                        |     |              |             |              |  |              |
| Average Weekly Clearings                                   | £   | 5,828,406    | 4,843,994   | 5,090,587    | 4,604,999                              | 4,720,650    |
| 3. <u>REAL PROPERTY TRANSACTIONS.</u>                      |     |              |             |              |  |              |
| Consideration of Sales                                     | £   | 890,472      | 864,277     | 788,902      | 9,554,307                              | 9,571,170    |
| Amount of Mortgages (incl.<br>Workers' Dwelling Adv.)      | £   | 392,632      | 363,351     | 438,451      | 4,989,164                              | 4,483,390    |
| 4. <u>BUTTER AND CHEESE PRODUCTION.</u>                    |     |              |             |              |  |              |
| Butter made in factories                                   | lb. | 7,359,537    | 9,063,432a  | 7,173,544a   | 139,795,042                            | 117,065,449a |
| Cheese made in factories                                   | lb. | 931,632      | 912,356a    | 832,229a     | 13,841,405                             | 11,735,130a  |
| 5. <u>BUILDING OPERATIONS (12 Cities<br/>and 9 Towns).</u> |     |              |             |              |  |              |
| Metropolitan (Brisbane)                                    |     |              |             |              |  |              |
| New Dwellings ..   | £   | 87,907       | 130,300     | 158,922      | 1,130,110                              | 1,325,247    |
| Alterations - Dwellings                                    | £   | 8,792        | 4,029       | 12,924       | 99,869                                 | 71,807       |
| Other New Buildings  | £   | 45,490       | 43,878      | 30,315       | 497,104                                | 782,129      |
| Alterations - Other<br>Buildings                           | £   | 60,270       | 11,701      | 9,892        | 256,620                                | 246,144      |
| Total:   | £   | 202,459      | 189,908     | 212,053      | 1,983,703                              | 2,425,327    |
| Eleven Cities and Nine Towns                               |     |              |             |              |  |              |
| New Dwellings ..   | £   | 64,410       | 65,912      | 69,912       | 801,834                                | 802,163      |
| Alterations - Dwellings                                    | £   | 6,153        | 8,445       | 13,618       | 109,148                                | 118,983      |
| Other New Buildings  | £   | 41,505       | 6,742       | 18,954       | 350,403                                | 309,096      |
| Alterations - Other<br>Buildings                           | £   | 19,854       | 11,213      | 4,021        | 179,839                                | 182,916      |
| Total:   | £   | 131,922      | 92,312      | 106,505      | 1,441,224                              | 1,413,158    |
| Total 12 Cities and 9 Towns                                | £   | 334,381      | 282,220     | 318,558      | 3,424,927                              | 3,838,485    |
| Commonwealth Works Department                              | £   | 12,080       | 13,375      | 2,062        | 58,526                                 | 113,305      |
| State Works Department                                     | £   | 42,040       | 23,131      | 13,002       | 279,331                                | 394,984      |
| Council Permits ..   | £   | 280,261      | 245,714     | 303,494      | 3,087,070                              | 3,330,196    |
| 6. <u>EMPLOYMENT (Sample Collection).</u>                  |     |              |             |              |  |              |
| Full-time Employment only                                  |     |              |             |              |  |              |
| Factories .. .. (150) No.                                  |     | 23,905       | 25,608      | n            | 23,060                                 | n            |
| Retail .. .. (120) No.                                     |     | 8,763        | 8,719       | n            | 8,793                                  | n            |
| Wholesale .. .. ( 50) No.                                  |     | 4,650        | 4,355       | n            | 4,632                                  | n            |
| Banks & Insurance ..                                       | No. | 4,352        | 4,314       | n            | 4,296                                  | n            |
| Miscellaneous .. ( 20) No.                                 |     | 2,091        | 1,992       | n            | 2,092                                  | n            |
| Total:   | No. | 43,761       | 44,988      | n            | 42,873                                 | n            |

| REVENUE FUND |     |     |      |
|--------------|-----|-----|------|
| 1            | 2   | 3   | 4    |
| 5            | 6   | 7   | 8    |
| 9            | 10  | 11  | 12   |
| 13           | 14  | 15  | 16   |
| 17           | 18  | 19  | 20   |
| 21           | 22  | 23  | 24   |
| 25           | 26  | 27  | 28   |
| 29           | 30  | 31  | 32   |
| 33           | 34  | 35  | 36   |
| 37           | 38  | 39  | 40   |
| 41           | 42  | 43  | 44   |
| 45           | 46  | 47  | 48   |
| 49           | 50  | 51  | 52   |
| 53           | 54  | 55  | 56   |
| 57           | 58  | 59  | 60   |
| 61           | 62  | 63  | 64   |
| 65           | 66  | 67  | 68   |
| 69           | 70  | 71  | 72   |
| 73           | 74  | 75  | 76   |
| 77           | 78  | 79  | 80   |
| 81           | 82  | 83  | 84   |
| 85           | 86  | 87  | 88   |
| 89           | 90  | 91  | 92   |
| 93           | 94  | 95  | 96   |
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| 381          | 382 | 383 | 384  |
| 385          | 386 | 387 | 388  |
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| 397          | 398 | 399 | 400  |
| 401          | 402 | 403 | 404  |
| 405          | 406 | 407 | 408  |
| 409          | 410 | 411 | 412  |
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| 557          | 558 | 559 | 560  |
| 561          | 562 | 563 | 564  |
| 565          | 566 | 567 | 568  |
| 569          | 570 | 571 | 572  |
| 573          | 574 | 575 | 576  |
| 577          | 578 | 579 | 580  |
| 581          | 582 | 583 | 584  |
| 585          | 586 | 587 | 588  |
| 589          | 590 | 591 | 592  |
| 593          | 594 | 595 | 596  |
| 597          | 598 | 599 | 600  |
| 601          | 602 | 603 | 604  |
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| 609          | 610 | 611 | 612  |
| 613          | 614 | 615 | 616  |
| 617          | 618 | 619 | 620  |
| 621          | 622 | 623 | 624  |
| 625          | 626 | 627 | 628  |
| 629          | 630 | 631 | 632  |
| 633          | 634 | 635 | 636  |
| 637          | 638 | 639 | 640  |
| 641          | 642 | 643 | 644  |
| 645          | 646 | 647 | 648  |
| 649          | 650 | 651 | 652  |
| 653          | 654 | 655 | 656  |
| 657          | 658 | 659 | 660  |
| 661          | 662 | 663 | 664  |
| 665          | 666 | 667 | 668  |
| 669          | 670 | 671 | 672  |
| 673          | 674 | 675 | 676  |
| 677          | 678 | 679 | 680  |
| 681          | 682 | 683 | 684  |
| 685          | 686 | 687 | 688  |
| 689          | 690 | 691 | 692  |
| 693          | 694 | 695 | 696  |
| 697          | 698 | 699 | 700  |
| 701          | 702 | 703 | 704  |
| 705          | 706 | 707 | 708  |
| 709          | 710 | 711 | 712  |
| 713          | 714 | 715 | 716  |
| 717          | 718 | 719 | 720  |
| 721          | 722 | 723 | 724  |
| 725          | 726 | 727 | 728  |
| 729          | 730 | 731 | 732  |
| 733          | 734 | 735 | 736  |
| 737          | 738 | 739 | 740  |
| 741          | 742 | 743 | 744  |
| 745          | 746 | 747 | 748  |
| 749          | 750 | 751 | 752  |
| 753          | 754 | 755 | 756  |
| 757          | 758 | 759 | 760  |
| 761          | 762 | 763 | 764  |
| 765          | 766 | 767 | 768  |
| 769          | 770 | 771 | 772  |
| 773          | 774 | 775 | 776  |
| 777          | 778 | 779 | 780  |
| 781          | 782 | 783 | 784  |
| 785          | 786 | 787 | 788  |
| 789          | 790 | 791 | 792  |
| 793          | 794 | 795 | 796  |
| 797          | 798 | 799 | 800  |
| 801          | 802 | 803 | 804  |
| 805          | 806 | 807 | 808  |
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| 833          | 834 | 835 | 836  |
| 837          | 838 | 839 | 840  |
| 841          | 842 | 843 | 844  |
| 845          | 846 | 847 | 848  |
| 849          | 850 | 851 | 852  |
| 853          | 854 | 855 | 856  |
| 857          | 858 | 859 | 860  |
| 861          | 862 | 863 | 864  |
| 865          | 866 | 867 | 868  |
| 869          | 870 | 871 | 872  |
| 873          | 874 | 875 | 876  |
| 877          | 878 | 879 | 880  |
| 881          | 882 | 883 | 884  |
| 885          | 886 | 887 | 888  |
| 889          | 890 | 891 | 892  |
| 893          | 894 | 895 | 896  |
| 897          | 898 | 899 | 900  |
| 901          | 902 | 903 | 904  |
| 905          | 906 | 907 | 908  |
| 909          | 910 | 911 | 912  |
| 913          | 914 | 915 | 916  |
| 917          | 918 | 919 | 920  |
| 921          | 922 | 923 | 924  |
| 925          | 926 | 927 | 928  |
| 929          | 930 | 931 | 932  |
| 933          | 934 | 935 | 936  |
| 937          | 938 | 939 | 940  |
| 941          | 942 | 943 | 944  |
| 945          | 946 | 947 | 948  |
| 949          | 950 | 951 | 952  |
| 953          | 954 | 955 | 956  |
| 957          | 958 | 959 | 960  |
| 961          | 962 | 963 | 964  |
| 965          | 966 | 967 | 968  |
| 969          | 970 | 971 | 972  |
| 973          | 974 | 975 | 976  |
| 977          | 978 | 979 | 980  |
| 981          | 982 | 983 | 984  |
| 985          | 986 | 987 | 988  |
| 989          | 990 | 991 | 992  |
| 993          | 994 | 995 | 996  |
| 997          | 998 | 999 | 1000 |



| Particulars  |  |     | June<br>1940    | May<br>1941     | June<br>1941    | For Twelve Months<br>of Financial Year. |                 |
|--|--|-----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|---|-----------------|
|  |  |     |                 |                 |                 | 1939-40                                 | 1940-41         |
| 7. <u>RAILWAYS (Including S. Brisbane -<br/>Border Railway).</u>                     |  |     |                 |                 |                 | *                                       | *               |
| Gross Revenue  | £  |     | 652,080         | 694,744         | n               | 7,437,887                               | 7,687,101       |
| Working Expenses   | £  |     | 490,724         | 716,763         | n               | 5,861,079                               | 6,064,138       |
| Train Miles (incl. Rail<br>Motors)   | No.  |     | 1,216,120       | 1,202,121       | 1,153,205       | 12,975,355                              | 13,449,295      |
| Goods and Livestock<br>(carried)   | Tons   |     | 356,086         | 454,604         | n               | 5,117,450                               | 5,329,853       |
| Passenger Journeys   | No.  |     | 1,921,506       | 2,110,531       | n               | 22,714,318                              | 24,000,122      |
| Gross Ton Mileage (1000)   |  |     | 269,976         | 274,608         | 260,718         | 2,789,944                               | 3,028,688       |
| Net Ton Mileage (paying) (1000)  |  |     | 71,112          | 68,100a         | n               | 703,322                                 | 758,545         |
| Average Haul   | miles  |     | 202.7           | 192.1a          | n               | 140.6                                   | 148.3           |
| 8. <u>REGISTRATION OF MOTOR VEHICLES. (Excluding all Defence Services Vehicles).</u> |  |     |                 |                 |                 |   |                 |
| On Register at end<br>of Month.  | (Motor Cars<br>Trucks etc.<br>Buses<br>Motor Cycles<br>Traction Engines<br>Trailers) | No. | 77,019          | 75,068          | 74,537          | -                                       | -               |
|  |  | No. | 44,126          | 45,395          | 45,367          | -                                       | -               |
|  |  | No. | 385             | 406             | 406             | -                                       | -               |
|  |  | No. | 8,025           | 8,129           | 8,129           | -                                       | -               |
|  |  | No. | 140             | 149             | 155             | -                                       | -               |
|  |  | No. | 2,474           | 2,873           | 2,881           | -                                       | -               |
| New<br>Registered  | (Motor Cars<br>Trucks etc.<br>Buses<br>Motor Cycles<br>Traction Engines<br>Trailers) | No. | 279             | 128             | 99              | 5,786                                   | 2,361           |
|  |  | No. | 271             | 144             | 96              | 4,007                                   | 1,838           |
|  |  | No. | 1               | 2               | 1               | 30                                      | 30              |
|  |  | No. | 40              | 6               | 6               | 721                                     | 273             |
|  |  | No. | 19              | 2               | 6               | 48                                      | 25              |
|  |  | No. | 47              | 42              | 39              | 854                                     | 826             |
| 9. <u>PRICES.</u><br>(Base, 1923-27 = 1,000)   |  |     |                 |                 |                 |   |                 |
| Retail Price Index Numbers   |  |     |                 |                 |                 |   |                 |
| Food and Groceries   |  |     |                 |                 |                 |   |                 |
| Brisbane   |  |     | 877             | 899             | 887             | -                                       | -               |
| 5 Queensland Towns   |  |     | 885             | 904             | 889             | -                                       | -               |
|  |  |     | 2nd Qr.<br>1940 | 3rd Qr.<br>1940 | 4th Qr.<br>1940 | 1st Qr.<br>1941                         | 2nd Qr.<br>1941 |
| Food, Groceries and Rent<br>(B Series)   |  |     |                 |                 |                 |   |                 |
| Brisbane   |  |     | 871             | 869             | 894             | 902                                     | 882             |
| 5 Queensland Towns   |  |     | 871             | 867             | 890             | 899                                     | 879             |
| All Items (C Series)   |  |     |                 |                 |                 |   |                 |
| Brisbane   |  |     | 900             | 906             | 938             | 950                                     | 954             |
| 5 Queensland Towns   |  |     | 902             | 906             | 939             | 951                                     | 955             |

\* Railway figures are for the 11 months ended May.

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| Date |        | Description     |  | Amount  |  |
|------|--------|-----------------|--|---------|--|
| 1900 | Jan 1  | Balance         |  | 100.00  |  |
| 1900 | Jan 15 | Received from A |  | 50.00   |  |
| 1900 | Feb 1  | Received from B |  | 25.00   |  |
| 1900 | Mar 1  | Received from C |  | 75.00   |  |
| 1900 | Apr 1  | Received from D |  | 100.00  |  |
| 1900 | May 1  | Received from E |  | 150.00  |  |
| 1900 | Jun 1  | Received from F |  | 200.00  |  |
| 1900 | Jul 1  | Received from G |  | 250.00  |  |
| 1900 | Aug 1  | Received from H |  | 300.00  |  |
| 1900 | Sep 1  | Received from I |  | 350.00  |  |
| 1900 | Oct 1  | Received from J |  | 400.00  |  |
| 1900 | Nov 1  | Received from K |  | 450.00  |  |
| 1900 | Dec 1  | Received from L |  | 500.00  |  |
| 1900 | Dec 31 | Total           |  | 2500.00 |  |